

# SPECIFIC EXCEPTIONS TO REGIONWIDE REGULATIONS IN THE PETERSBURG/WRANGELL AREA

## PETERSBURG AREA FRESHWATER EXCEPTIONS

**In the following fall steelhead drainages, bait is not allowed and retention of steelhead is prohibited:** Castle River, Hamilton Creek

**Landlocked lakes without cutthroat or rainbow trout** (Crystal Lake, Kane Peak Lake):

- Use of bait allowed year-round.

**High-use cutthroat trout lake** (Kah Sheets Lake):

- Cutthroat and rainbow trout limits (in combination): 2 daily, 2 in possession, 14-inch minimum and 22-inch maximum size limit.
- Only unbaited, artificial lures may be used year-round.

**Blind Slough**—upstream of a line between Blind Pt. and Anchor Pt.:

- The king salmon season is open from Jan. 1–Dec. 31.
- King salmon limits: 28 inches or longer—2 daily, 2 in possession; less than 28 inches—2 daily, 2 in possession. These limits remain in place except when modified by emergency order.
- Snagging is prohibited except when allowed by emergency order.
- Only unbaited, artificial lures are allowed from Nov. 16–May 31.

**Blind Slough tributaries, including Manmade Hole:**

- Closed to salmon fishing. All salmon caught must be released immediately.

## WRANGELL AREA FRESHWATER EXCEPTIONS

**High-use cutthroat trout lakes** (Anan, Thoms, Virginia lakes):

- Cutthroat and rainbow trout limits (in combination): 2 daily, 2 in possession, 14-inch minimum and 22-inch maximum size limit.
- Only unbaited, artificial lures may be used year-round.

**Landlocked lakes without cutthroat or rainbow trout** (Tyee Lake):

- Use of bait is allowed year-round.

**Small cutthroat trout lake** (Long Lake):

- Cutthroat and rainbow trout limits (in combination): 2 daily, 2 in possession, 9-inch minimum size limit.
- Only unbaited, artificial lures may be used year-round.

**Trophy cutthroat trout lakes** (Eagle Lake):

- Cutthroat trout limits: 1 daily, 1 in possession, 25-inch minimum size limit.
- Only unbaited, artificial lures may be used year-round.

